DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of peoples under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Well supplied.

9 *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

State of standing crops.—Ragi, paddy, sugar-cane, avare, horse gram and togari are reported to be in good condition. In four villages of Tubagere Hobli in the Dodballapur Taluk, ragi is reported to be ready for harvest.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy except for the prevalence of Naradi and Chapperoga in parts of Bangalore, Anekal and Dodballapur Taluks.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Ploughing operations.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Such as, ragi, avare, togari, paddy and sugar-cane are in good condition. Dry crops are vastly improving owing to recent rains.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Crops harvested.—Groundnuts and same are being harvested in some parts of Chikballapur Taluk and irrigated ragi and sajje in Kasba and Gulur Hoblies of Bagepalli Taluk.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. Prices of food grains stationery. Labour available.

11. Except for the prevalence of Rinderpest in Bagepalli Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to be attending to the inoculation work of the cattle in the Villages.

TUMKUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Horse gram in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Irrigated ragi in parts of Madhugiri and Koratagere Sub-Taluk and navane in Madhugiri Taluk. Til and jolam in Turuvekere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Ragi, avare, togari, jolam, groundnut in all parts of the district. Paddy and sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur, Madhugiri, Sira and Tiptur and Koratagere Sub-Taluk. Groundnut in Tumkur, Madhugiri, Gubbi and Tiptur Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Except for prevalence of Rinderpest in parts of Tumkur Taluk, the cattle are reported to be healthy in all the other parts of the district.

Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, ragi, tadaguni, til, togari, ramtil, sugar-cane, jola, horse gram, castor, coriander, chillies, cotton, same groundnut, black and green grams are reported to be in generally good condition.

Seeds sown.—Horse gram, jola, kadale, coriander in parts of Chamrajnagar and hosre gram in parts of Nagamangala Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Fair.

11. (1) Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in Ballekere and Lingapura villages of Krishnarajpete Taluk.

The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been written to, to take necesary preventive measures.

(2) Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Doddaragi, togari and sugar-cane in the Hassan, Belur, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Hassan, Manjarabad, Belur, Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; avare in the Hassan, Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; chillies in the Belur and Channarayapatna Taluks; kulthi in the Arsikere and Channarayapatna Taluks and in the Alur Sub-Taluk; and castor in the Channarayaptna Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

More rain is wanted for paddy crop in the Arkalgud and Belur Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for "Rinderpest" in the Alagodanahalli village, Hole-Narsipur Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector is reported to have been addressed to taking remedial measures.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Ploughing operations are going on in the Channagiri Taluk.

Corps sown.—Horse gram in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks; Yennegara jola in the Honnali Taluk are being sown during the week.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane and paddy in all the taluks and in the sub-taluk of Kumsi; ragi and jola in the taluks of Channagiri and Honnali; chillies and cotton in the Channagiri Taluk; ragi and horse gram in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Groundnut in the Channagiri and Honnali Taluks is being harvested.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be fair. Food grains are available and their prices are steady.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for Rinderpest in the Bharangi and Jogihalli villages of Sorab Taluk. The Veterinary Inspector has been addressed to take remedial measures in the matter. Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Kadur Taluk and weeds are being removed from cropped fields, in parts of Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Chikmagalur—horse gram, garlic, onions and menthya. Kadur—cholum, horse gram and tobacco. Tarikere—Coriander, Bengal gram and cholum.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—Paddy, sugar-cane and coffee. Kadur—Paddy, ragi, horse gram, avare, sugar-cane, arhar, same, cholum, chillies, castor and groundnut. Tarikere—Ragi, sugar-cane, castor, avare, cholum, paddy and chillies. Koppa—Paddy, areca, sugar-cane, coffee and cardamom. Mudgere—Paddy, ragi, cardamom and coffee. Narasimharajapura—Sugar-cane. Sringeri—Paddy, areca and sugar-cane.

The standing crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Kadur—Sugar-cane, cholum, coriander and groundnut yield 8 annas. Tarikere—Areca, coriander and groundnut. Koppa—Areca and cardamom. Mudgere—Cardamom. Sringeri—Areca.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food grains are available but their prices continue to be steady.

11. Cattle are generally healthy. Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in Karakutchi, Nagenahalli, Lakkavalli, Paramanahalli and Thimmapura villages of Tarikere Taluk, in the Koppa Town, Somanakan Estate in the Mudgere Taluk and in parts of the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors concerned are taking precautionary measures against the spread of the disease.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets were adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing, sowing, weeding and harvesting operations are in progress in the district.

Standing crops.—*Viz.*, sajje, navane, cotton, horse gram, togari, paddy, haraka, castor, ragi, sugar-cane, sami, avare, jola, green gram, groundnut, halasandi, til, black gram and chillies are reported to be generally in a fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Challakere Taluk—Horse gram. Holalkere Taluk—Horse gram and bilijola. Hosdurga Taluk—Bilijola, bengal gram, wheat and coriander. Harihar Sub-Taluk—Bilijola and cotton.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug Taluk—Jola, groundnut, coriander, black gram and til (8 annas). Holalkere Taluk—Groundnut and jola (8 annas). Davangere Taluk—Groundnut and til (8 annas). Molakalmuru Taluk—Jola and navane (4 to 10 annas). Jagalur Taluk—Groundnut and til (6 to 10 annas). Harihar Sub-Taluk—Groundnut and til (8 annas).

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Cooly classes find labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except the prevalence of "Rinderpest" in parts of Chitaldrug Taluk, and throat disease in the Kadlabala village of Davangere Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors attached to the taluks are taking needful action.

Water and fodder are generally available.

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